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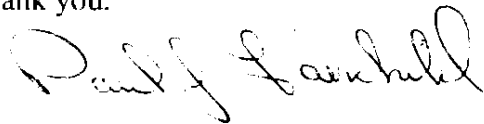
Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
455 12th Street, SW, TW-A325
Washington, D.C. 20554

FCC Docket No. 03-90

Dear Ms. Dortch,

I am writing to the FCC to as a retiree of US West, now in the name of Quest. Please approve Qwest's application to enter the long-distance market. It is of great importance to us retirees, employees, and telephone customers that this company be allowed to compete for long distance and not to be kept out of the market. There are many ordinary people whose future depends on continued opportunities for this company.

Thank you.



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